

December 2, 1952

To: Mr. J. J. Winn, Jr.
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Subject: Monthly Progress Report - Drydock Operations

The following is a report of activities at The Port of Portland Drydocks at St. Johns and Swan Island during the month of November 1952.

St. Johns Drydocks:

Dock No. 1 was occupied 612 hours 17 minutes out of a possible 720 hours during the month or 85% of the total time.

Dock No. 2 was occupied 190 hours 10 minutes or 26.38%

Berthing spaces at St. Johns were in use 8.13% of the total possible foot days.

Handled miscellaneous supplies for Dredge "Clackamas"
Inspected electrical equipment on Steamer "Portland" Removed deck planks in preparation of inspection of Dredge tender "Modoc" hull. Continued the making of metal mounts for individual drives for machine tools. Completed stairways on pontoons No. 3 and No. 5 - dock No. 2 for use when drydock is re-located at Swan Island. Completed drilling and painting rails for bridge crane to be located in new shop building at Swan Island.

Swan Island Drydock:

Swan Island drydock was occupied 493 hours 45 minutes of the month or 68.53% of the total time.

Berthing spaces at Swan Island were in use 41.72% of the total possible foot days.

Continued repairs to outfitting dock and gantry crane ways. Inspected electrical equipment on Dredge "Clackamas" and at Portland International Airport. Changed travel truck on #3 leg of gantry crane #5. Overhauled one travel truck. Changed whip line on gantry crane #3. Cleaned & painted diesel motor tractor. Re-bushed vertical shaft of gantry crane #1. Filled all fresh water outlet boxes with sawdust. Repaired two fire hydrants- one at way end #4 and one at way end #9. Started cleaning up and burning trash in open area near old ferry slip.

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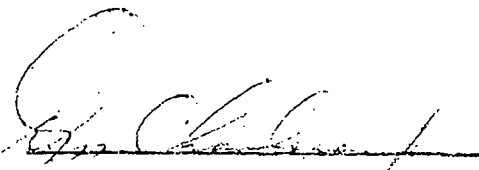


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The following dockings and undockings took place during the month.

<u>Docking Number</u>	<u>Date Docked</u>	<u>Names of Vessels</u>	<u>Date Undocked</u>	<u>Dock No.</u>
5270	(10/29)	Uss LSM 174	11/2	1
5272	(10/30)	Tug Leland James	11/2	1
5273-241	(10/31)	S/S Empire State	11/6	N
5274	11/3	USS LSM 299	11/13	1
5275	11/4	Tug Jean	11/12	1
5276	11/5	Tug Tidewater Shaver	11/5	2
5277	11/6	Tug Go Getter	11/7	2
5278	11/9	Tug Leland James	11/9	2
5279	11/10	Tug Chinook	11/10	2
5280	11/12	Tug George M Brown	11/12	2
5281-242	11/12	USS LST 583	11/14	N
5282	11/13	USS LST 839	11/25	1
5283-243	11/17	S/S Sgt. Jack J Pendleton		N
5284	11/19	S/S Pine Bluff Victory	11/20	2
5285	11/24	Tug Peter W	11/24	2
5286	11/25	S/S Madaket		2
5287	11/26	Nomad (ex LCI)	11/28	1

32 Navy dock- Swan Island occupied at end of month. No. 2 dock-St. Johns was occupied at end of month. No. 1 dock - St Johns was idle at end of month.


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